



Tiara Air officially welcomes its second plane into service

Tiara Air opened its doors less than six months ago, and have announced that they are more than pleased with the response to the only Aruban based airline, and are already increasing their fleet with the addition of another Short 360 and their flight crews.

On Tuesday morning, November 14, his Uncle Camillo and his mother Femi along with airport officials joined Director of Tiara Air, Alejandro Muyali while Father Jan Bouman, O.P. performed the official blessing and baptism of the new plane.

Peter Steinmetz, Director of the Reina Beatrix International Airport followed Alejandro Muyali to the podium afterwards to announce how pleased he is to see the success of an Aruban based airline providing regular service to Curacao and Punto Fijo, Venezuela.

Mr. Muyali stated that not only will they now have two planes offering daily access to those destinations and weekend flights to Bonaire, but also they will be increasing the number of flights very soon. He also revealed that the freshly baptized plane had just returned from La Guardia Airport in New York with four flight crew that had completed the training and been certified by the La Guardia Flight Safety School. Raul Wijgaarde, Ernst Loor, Jeffry Deswert, and Aureliano Wever have joined the ranks of the Tiara Air pilot staff, increasing the airline's personnel roster to twelve pilots, five mechanics, two engineers, and ten flight attendants. The phenomenal success of the newly established airline is ample evidence of the extreme market demand of regular flights between their destinations.

It was a proud moment for Tiara Air as Father Bouman splashed holy water on the plane and prayed for safe journey for all its crew and passengers. The staff of THE NEWS offers congratulations and continued growth to Tiara Air in their efforts to establish a successful native Aruban airline.